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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I use Sonic and they are a great internet provider. Please allow them to continue to business as they provide affordable internet access and good customer service.

I understand AT & T along with US Telecom had petitioned the FCC to take away access to critical unbundled network elements. These unbundled elements are critical last-mile copper and inter-city backhaul; the very technology that allowed Sonic to grow, expand fiber deployment, backhaul those deployments, and compete. Without access to this infrastructure, Sonic can no longer provide great low costing internet services to customers like me.

Please allow them to continue to do business unmolested. Obviously AT & T sees them as a threat. If thats the case, they should improve their business, not resort to undermining the competition.

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